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 I believe the inventors named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 5,757,945, granted June 16, 1998
 and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled MULTI-MEDIA INFORMATION RECORD DEVICE AND A MULTI-MEDIA INFORMATION PLAYBACK DEVICE

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed June 2, 2000 as reissue application 99/597,107
 and was amended 11/24/2004
 (if applicable)

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Claims 1, 4, 7, 25 and 26 define page information as "successively" stored in a storage area, while the prior art did not require such a description and therefore the patentees claimed less than they had a right to claim.

Claim 19 defines "successively" regarding the time sequence information in a storage area, while the prior art did not require such a description and therefore the patentees claimed less than they had a right to claim.

Claim 7 is amended to replace "disc" with "recording medium".

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